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Applicant: Mark H. Breyen et al. Examiner: Mark Bockelman  
Serial No.: 09/608,204 Group Art Unit: 3762  
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Title: IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE HAVING FLAT  
ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR WITH DIFFERING SIZED ANODE  
AND CATHODE LAYERS

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**OFFICIAL****RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The following is in response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 22, 2004 and having a one-month period for response. Applicant re-presents the earlier filed Response and includes the inadvertently omitted reference to certain cancelled claims.